

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

JANUARY 5, 1863.

Read twice, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, made the special order of the day for January 6, at 1 o'clock, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. STEVENS, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported the following bill :

**A BILL**

Making appropriations for the consular and diplomatic expenses of the government for the year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3       That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appro-  
4       priated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise ap-  
5       propriated, for the objects hereafter expressed, for the fiscal  
6       year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-  
7       four, namely :

8       For salaries of envoys extraordinary, ministers, and com-  
9       missioners of the United States at Great Britain, France,  
10      Russia, Prussia, Spain, Austria, Brazil, Mexico, China, Italy,  
11      Chili, Peru, Portugal, Switzerland, Rome, Belgium, Holland,  
12      Denmark, Sweden, Turkey, New Granada, Bolivia, Ecuador,

13 Venezuela, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Sandwich Islands, Costa  
14 Rica, Honduras, Argentine Confederation, Paraguay, and  
15 Japan, three hundred and one thousand dollars.

16 For salaries of secretaries of legation, thirty thousand  
17 dollars.

18 For salaries of assistant secretaries of legation at London  
19 and Paris, three thousand dollars.

20 For salary of the interpreter to the legation to China,  
21 five thousand dollars.

22 For salary of the secretary of legation to Turkey, acting  
23 as interpreter, three thousand dollars.

24 For salary of the interpreter to the legation to Japan,  
25 two thousand five hundred dollars.

26 For contingent expenses of all the missions abroad, sixty  
27 thousand dollars.

28 For contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, eighty  
29 thousand dollars.

30 For expenses of intercourse with the Barbary powers,  
31 three thousand dollars.

32 For expenses of the consulates in the Turkish dominions,  
33 namely: interpreters, guards, and other expenses of the con-  
34 sulates at Constantinople, Smyrna, Candia, Alexandria, and  
35 Beirut, two thousand five hundred dollars.

36 For the relief and protection of American seamen in  
37 foreign countries, two hundred thousand dollars.

38       For expenses which may be incurred in acknowledging  
 39 the services of the masters and crews of foreign vessels in  
 40 rescuing citizens of the United States from shipwreck, five  
 41 thousand dollars.

42       For the purchase of blank books, stationery, arms of the  
 43 United States, seals, presses, and flags, and for the payment  
 44 of postages, and miscellaneous expenses of the consuls of the  
 45 United States, forty-five thousand dollars.

46       For office rent for those consuls general, consuls, and  
 47 commercial agents who are not allowed to trade, including  
 48 loss by exchange thereon, forty-one thousand eight hundred  
 49 and ninety dollars.

50       For salaries of consuls general at Quebec, Calcutta,  
 51 Alexandria, Havana, Constantinople, Frankfort-on-the-Main;  
 52 consuls at Kanagawa and Nagasaki, in Japan, Liver-  
 53 pool, London, Melbourne, Hong Kong, Glasgow, Mauritius,  
 54 Singapore, Belfast, Cork, Dundee, Demarara, Halifax, King-  
 55 ston, (Jamaica,) Leeds, Manchester, Nassau, (New Providence,)  
 56 Southampton, Turk's Island, Prince Edward's Island, Havre,  
 57 Paris, Marseilles, Bordeaux, La Rochelle, Lyons, Moscow,  
 58 Odessa, Revel, Saint Petersburg, Matanzas, Trinidad de Cuba,  
 59 Santiago de Cuba, San Juan, (Porto Rico,) Cadiz, Malaga, Ponce,  
 60 (Porto Rico,) Trieste, Vienna, Aix-la-Chapelle, Canton, Shang-  
 61 hai, Fouchou, Amoy, Ningpo, Beirut, Smyrna, Jerusalem, Rot-  
 62 terdam, Amsterdam, Antwerp, Funchal, Oporto, Saint Thomas,

63 Elsineur, Genoa, Basle, Geneva, Messina, Naples, Palermo,  
 64 Leipsic, Munich, Leghorn, Stuttgardt, Bremen, Hamburg, Tan-  
 65 giers, Tripoli, Tunis, Rio de Janeiro, Pernambuco, Vera Cruz,  
 66 Acapulco, Callao, Valparaiso, Buenos Ayres, San Juan del  
 67 Sur, Aspinwall, Panama, Laguayra, Honolulu, Lahaina,  
 68 Capetown, Falkland Islands, Venice, Stettin, Candia, Cyprus,  
 69 Batavia, Fayal, Santiago, (Cape de Verdes,) Saint Croix,  
 70 Spezzia, Athens, Zanzibar, Bahia, Maranham Island, Para,  
 71 Rio Grande, Matamoras, Mexico, (city,) Tampico, Paso del  
 72 Norte, Tabasco, Paita, Tumbes, Talcahuano, Carthagena,  
 73 Sabanillo, Omoa, Guayaquil, Cobija, Montevideo, Tahiti,  
 74 Bay of Islands, Apia, Lanthala, Bristol, Cardiff, Malta, Saint  
 75 John, (Newfoundland,) Saint John, (New Brunswick,) Pictou,  
 76 (Nova Scotia,) La Union, Barbadoes, Bermuda, Antigua,  
 77 Nantes, Napoleon, Vendee, Nice, Lisbon, Gottenburg, Te-  
 78 huantepec, Santos, Saint Catherine, Balize, Gaspe Basin,  
 79 Valencia, Port Mahon, Martinique, Taranto, Santander,  
 80 Galatz, Bilbao, Scio, Paramaribo, Macao, Stockholm, Ancona,  
 81 Otranto, Swatow, La Paz, Bergen, Trinidad, Barcelona,  
 82 Quebec, Maricaibo, Algiers, Port au Prince, San Domingo,  
 83 (city,) Monrovia, Cape Haytien, Aux Cayes, and New Castle-  
 84 upon-Tyne; commercial agents at San Juan del Norte, Saint  
 85 Paul de Loanda, (Angola,) Gaboon, Saint Marc, Curacoa,  
 86 and Amoor river, including the loss by exchange thereon,  
 87 four hundred and fourteen thousand dollars.

88       For interpreters to the consulates in China, including  
89 loss by exchange thereon, five thousand eight hundred dol-  
90 lars.

91       For expenses incurred, under instructions from the Sec-  
92 retary of State, in bringing home from foreign countries per-  
93 sons charged with crime, and expenses incident thereto, ten  
94 thousand dollars.

95       For salaries of the marshals for the consular courts in  
96 Japan, China, Siam, and Turkey, including loss by exchange  
97 thereon, nine thousand dollars.

98       For rent of prisons for American convicts in Japan,  
99 China, Siam, and Turkey, and for wages of the keepers of  
100 the same, nine thousand dollars.

101       For salaries of commissioners and consuls general to  
102 Hayti and Liberia, eleven thousand five hundred dollars.